

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2012**  
**Raised S.B. No. 151**

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**Introducer(s):**

Labor and Public Employees Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR AN EMPLOYER'S NOTICE TO DISPUTE CERTAIN CARE DEEMED REASONABLE FOR AN EMPLOYEE UNDER THE WORKERS' COMPENSATION ACT.

**Statement of Purpose:** To prevent an employer or employer's insurer from discontinuing, reducing or denying employee's course of treatment under the Workers' Compensation Act unless the employer provides notice and an opinion from another physician that such treatment is not reasonable, necessary, does not meet the appropriate standard of care.

**Bill History:**

02/17/12 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Labor and Public Employees Committee  
02/24/12 PUBLIC HEARING 02/28

**Co-sponsor(s):**

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